



March 14, 2025

St Marys Cement Plant
Community Liaison Committee Meeting




Agenda

- ❖ **Welcome and Introductions**
- ❖ **Complaints 2024 Year end and 2025 Year to Date**
- ❖ **Alternative Low Carbon Fuels Updates**
- ❖ **Major Maintenance Shutdown 2025**
- ❖ **Questions Brought Forward in Advance**
- ❖ **Round Table**
- ❖ **Closing Remarks**



Welcome and Introductions



Community Liaison Committee

The next Community Liaison Committee Meeting will be held on **Friday March 14 at 10am** at the St Marys Municipal Operations Center. Members of the public who wish to observe are welcome to attend.

Residents who wish to speak in front of the Committee may submit a detailed request in writing at least 3 days prior to the meeting in writing to the Committee. The request will be considered by the Committee and approved prior to the meeting.

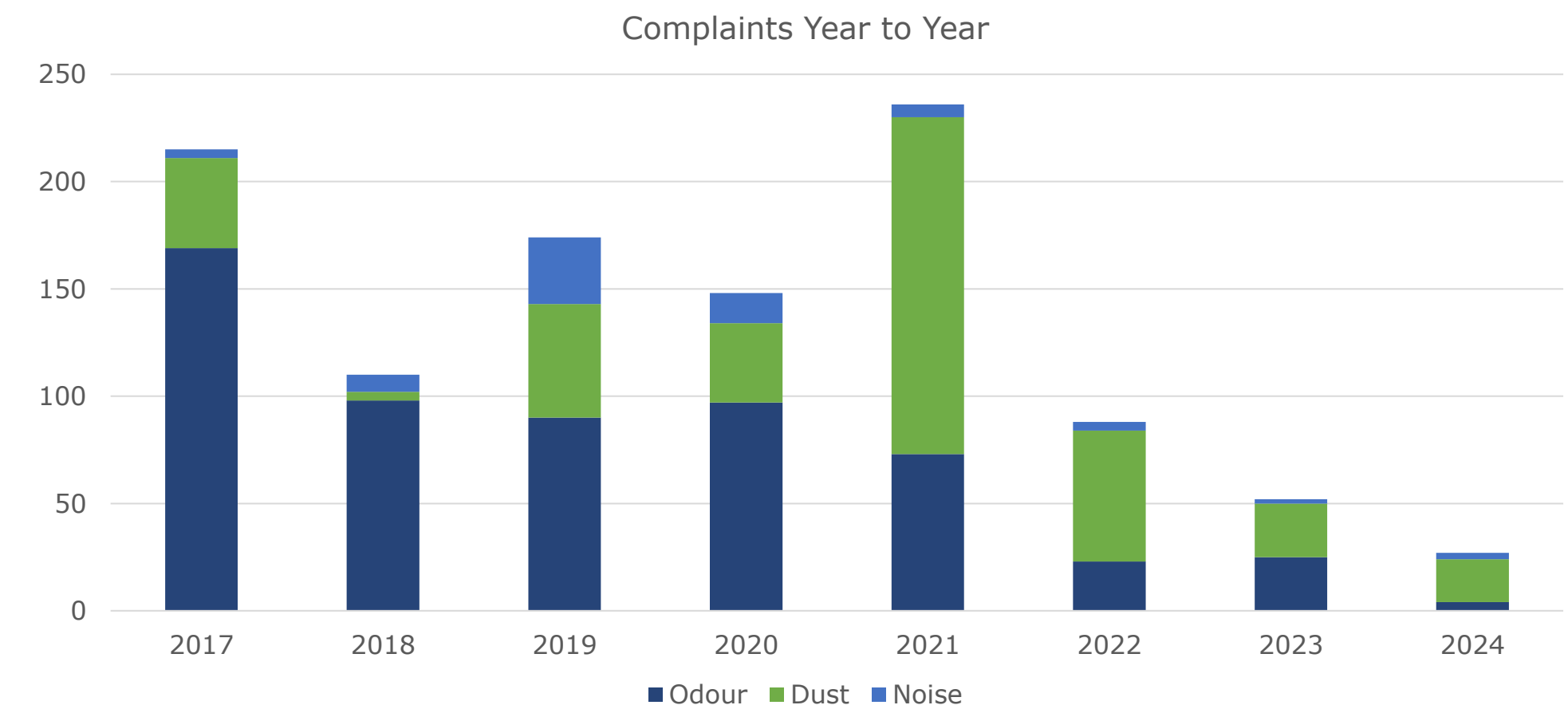
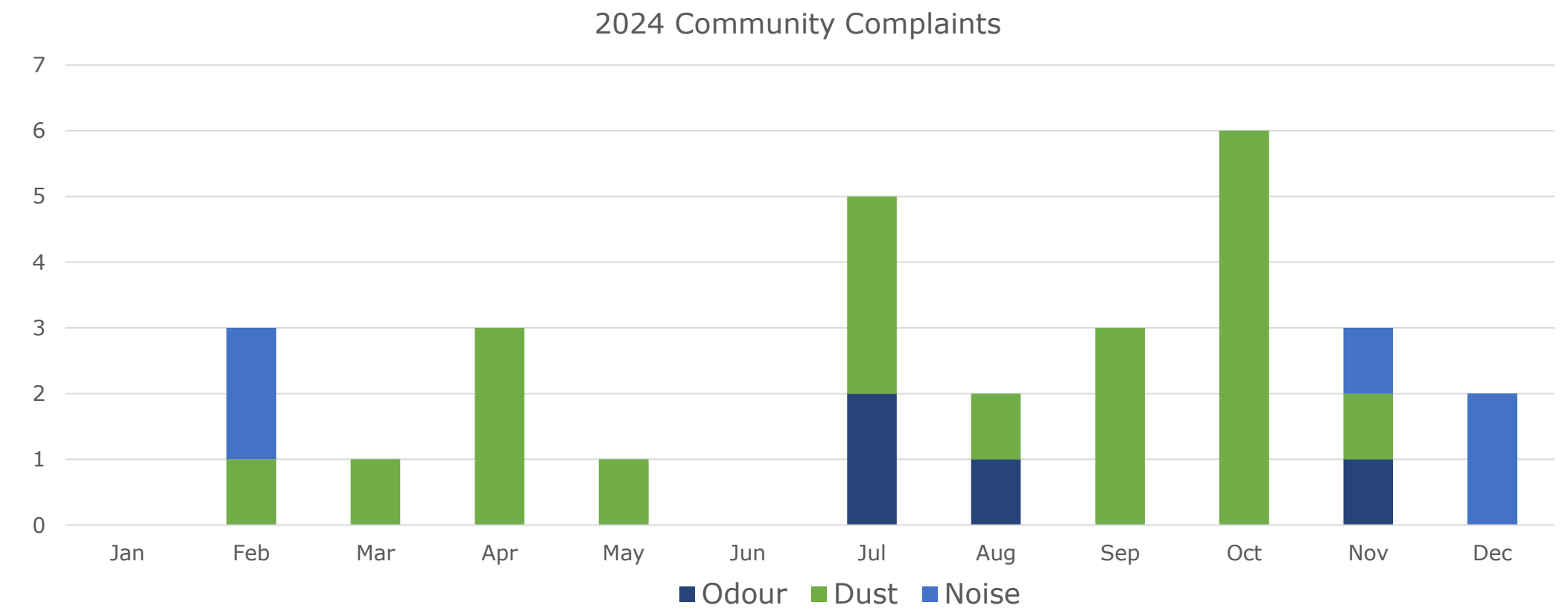
Please submit all requests, questions, and concerns for the meeting to kara.terpstra@vcimentos.com by **March 12th, 2024**.

- ❖ **Thank you to the Town of St Marys for allowing us to use their Youtube Channel and the Municipal Operations Center**
- ❖ **Welcome back everyone!**
- ❖ **Round Table Introductions**
- ❖ **Did anyone have questions/concerns about the December 6th meeting?**



Complaints Received 2024 Year End

| | | Odour* | Mention Health* | Dust | Invalid Dust | Noise/ Blasting |
|-------------|--------------|----------|-----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------|
| 2024 | Total | 4 | 0 | 22 | 12 | 3 |
| | January | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | February | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| | March | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | April | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| | May | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | June | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | July | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| | August | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | September | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| | October | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 0 |
| | November | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | December | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |



* Odour complaints reviewed on the next slides

**Complaints which 'Mention Health' are counted when a resident calls with an odour complaint and highlights that they have health concerns. They are not separate complaints received by the plant.



Dust Complaints

| Date | Number of Complaints | Sample Results |
|----------------------------|----------------------|---|
| Tuesday, December 17, 2024 | 1 | No sample taken, visually the concern appeared to be a paint defect. |
| Monday, December 30, 2024 | 1 | Insufficient material for sample to be taken, vehicle had sat outside under blanket of snow while resident was on vacation. |



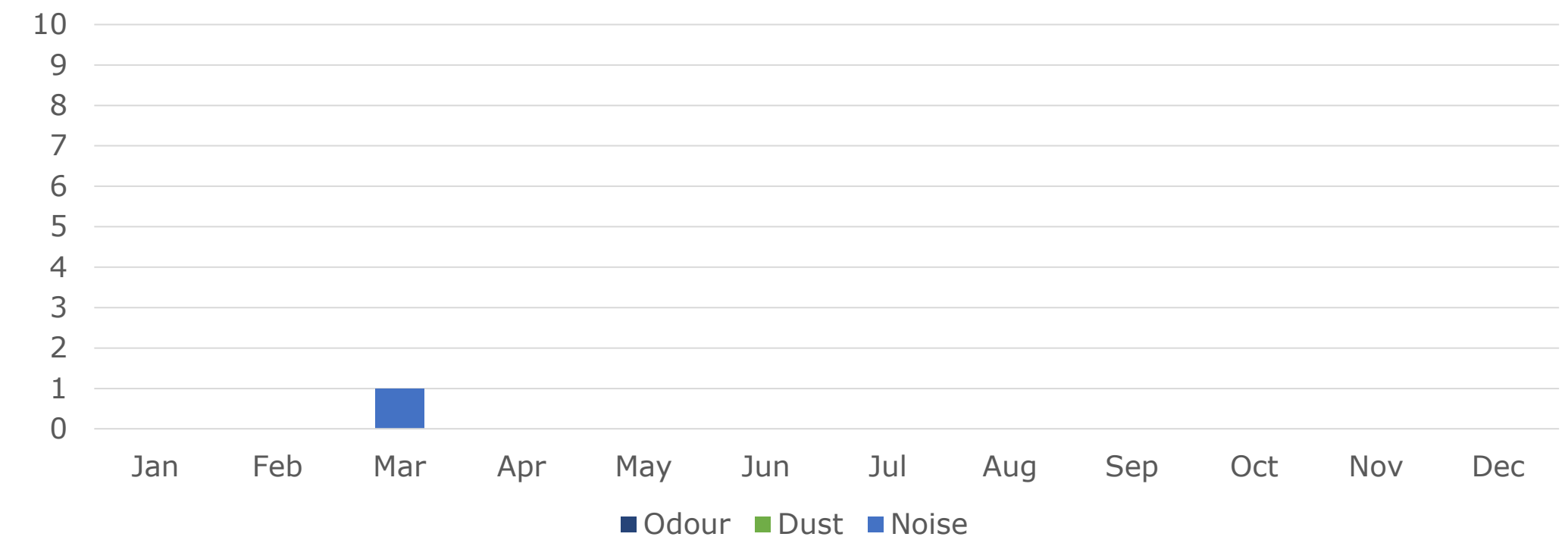
Complaints Received 2025 Year To Date

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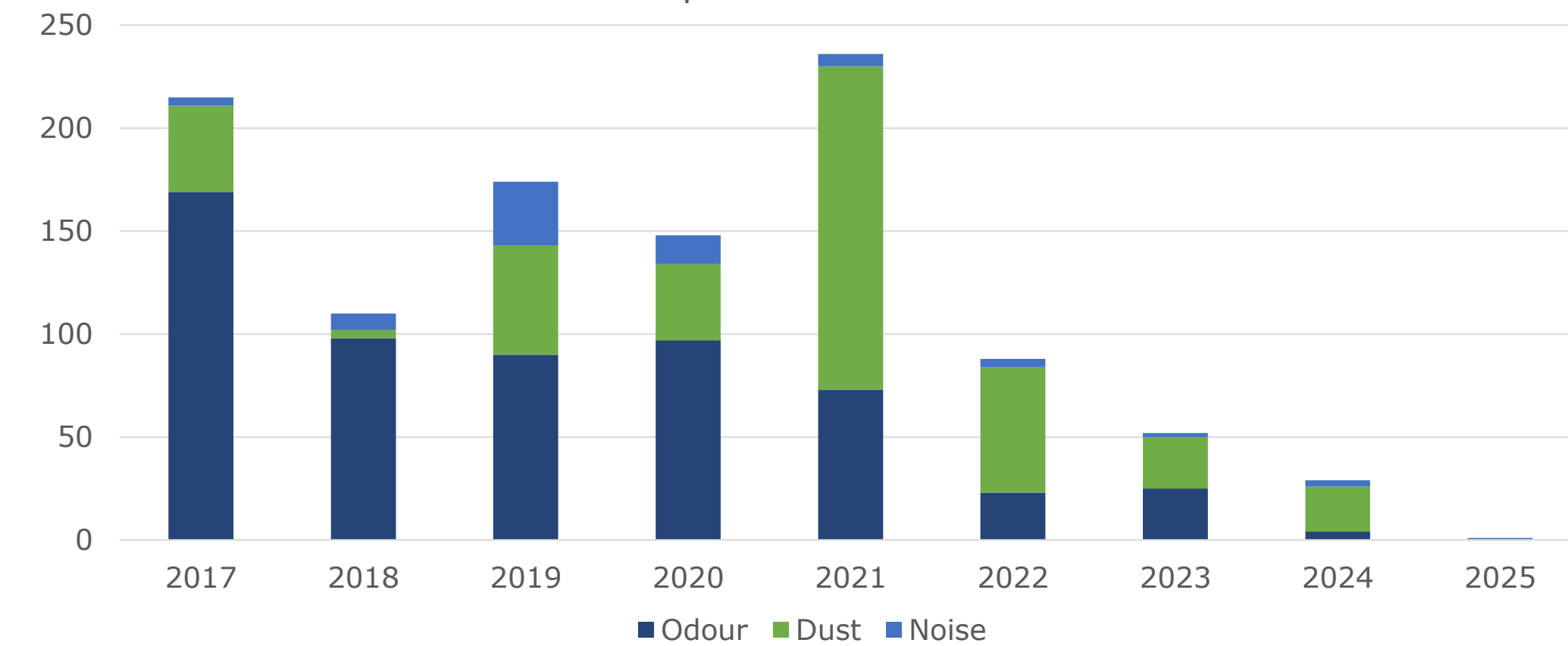
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2025 Community Complaints



Complaints Year to Year





Alternative Low Carbon Fuels



ALCF Wood



ALCF Plastic

**St Marys Cement started using ALCF
in the process in May.**

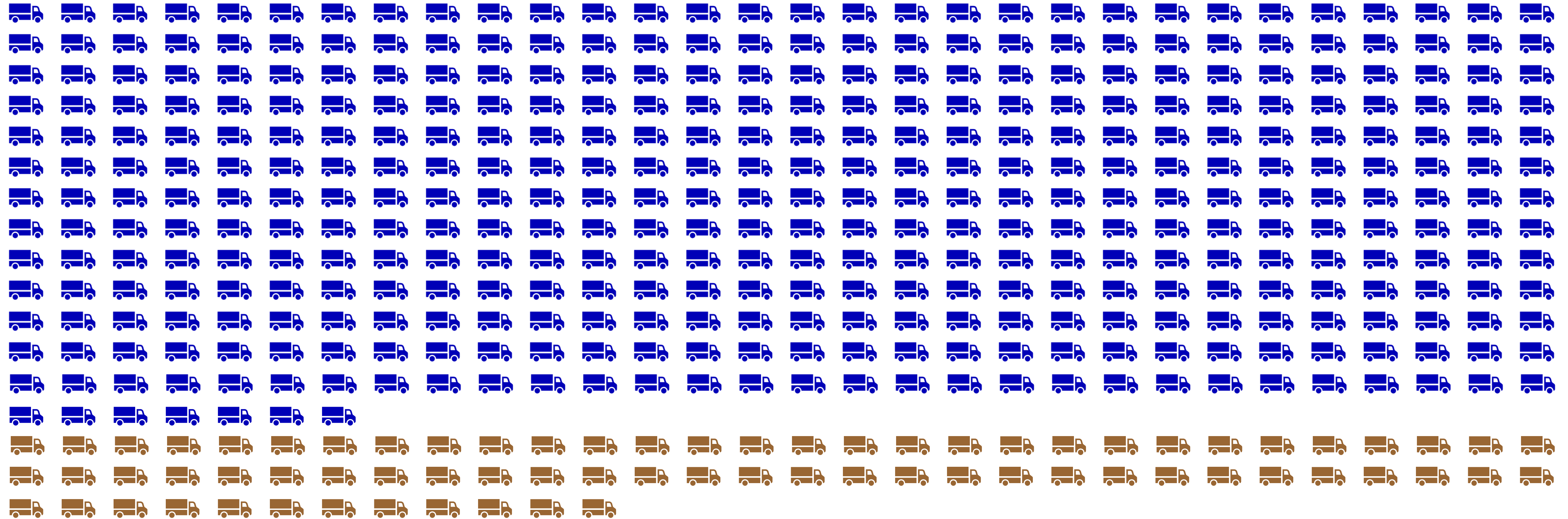
As of Year End 2024 SMC has used

1216 tons of wood

and

7553 tons of plastic

as Alternative Low Carbon Fuels.



In 2024 St Marys Cement used **397 trucks of plastic** and **72 trucks of wood** as alternative low carbon fuels.

According to Statistics Canada in 2019 the average Canadian disposed of 105 kg of plastic.

Year End 2024 the quantity of plastic used as ALCF at SMC is the equivalent of **71,933** Canadians' discarded plastic.

In 2025 St Marys Cement is forecasting to use **4,712 tons of wood** and **15,752 tons of plastic**.



Major Maintenance Shutdown 2025

Questions Brought Forward in Advance



Round Table

For any Questions or Concerns related to St Marys
Cement Plant Operations please contact

Kara Pelissero – Environmental Manager
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or at
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Tentative Upcoming Meetings
Friday June 13, 2025
Friday September 12, 2025
Friday December 12, 2025

Change your smoke alarm batteries when you
change your clocks for **Daylight Saving Time**

2 of **3** home fire deaths result
from fires in homes
with no smoke alarm



Install alarms:

- In every bedroom
- Outside of every interior door
- On every floor of your home



International Association
of Fire Fighters

Data Source: National Fire Protection Association